

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

MONIQUE COCKFIELD,

Civil No. C05-5256-KLS

Plaintiff,

vs.

JO ANNE B. BARNHART,
Commissioner of Social Security,

ORDER OF REMAND

Defendant

Based on the stipulation of the parties it is hereby ORDERED that the above-captioned case be remanded for further administrative proceedings. Upon remand, the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) will consolidate Plaintiff's applications that underlie this civil action with her subsequent applications currently pending on appeal at the Seattle hearing office; hold another hearing; and issue a new decision. The ALJ will consider all of the medical opinions of record; obtain medical expert testimony on the issue of whether Plaintiff's reticence to take medication is a symptom of

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2 her impairment; reassess the severity of Plaintiff's impairments after August 2001; and continue
3 the sequential evaluation process, as necessary and appropriate.
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5 This Court hereby reverses the Commissioner's decision under sentence four of
6 42 U.S.C. §405(g) with a remand of the cause to the Commissioner for further proceedings. See
7 Melkonyan v. Sullivan, 501 U.S. 89 (1991).

8 DATED this 31st day of October, 2005 .
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11 Karen L. Strombom

12 United States Magistrate Judge

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